

## EXPERTS LINE UP AGAINST LUMBER OVER FIRE LIMITS

Basic Principle Appears Clear  
Through Fog of Previ-  
ous Hearings.

WICK HOMES ARE POPULAR.

BY PARKER BROWN.  
The battle line in the struggle over the proposed extension of the fire limits became more clearly defined yesterday. At the fourth hearing held by the committee on buildings on the ordinance to add forty square miles to the territory in which the construction of new buildings is prohibited a clearer view of the forces favoring the plan and those opposing it became possible. At previous meetings the merits of the main issue were befogged by all sorts of influences, but at this meeting the speakers addressed themselves to the principle alone.

**Speakers for Extension.**  
Here are the speakers who urged the extension of the fire limits:  
John C. McDowell, chief of the fire commission.  
Robert Knight, deputy building commissioner.  
Thomas R. Weddell, National Fire Protection association.  
W. D. Matthews, fire prevention engineer, board of underwriters.  
F. H. Davidson, Illinois Society of Architects.  
Fred H. Lloyd of Lloyd & Thomas, engineers.

**Those Opposing Extension.**  
Those who spoke against the extension of the fire limits were:  
A. H. Woodbury, carpenters' district council.  
Albert B. Cane, associate editor of the American Lumberman.

In addition, on the side of the "pros" there were read letters from Building Commissioner Ericsson and Miss Mary E. McDowell, the one from Miss McDowell stating that the use of her name on the letterhead of the Southwest Side United Improvement clubs when it appeared at the top of a misleading circular issued by the lumber interests opposing extension.

Chief McDowell was the first speaker of the afternoon. He attacked the circulating campaign of the lumbermen because of their use of reproductions of newspaper clippings concerning the Edison plant fire. He charged the newspaper article used in this way were in error as the fire did not start from a wrought iron building, but from a frame building.

He also presented photographs of the Edison plant, the one showing the Edison plant, last year and pointed out that after the frame building territory had been swept away, brick buildings acted as a barrier to check the flames.

**Architect Urges Science.**  
Mr. Davidson as first vice president of the Illinois Society of Architects presented a resolution that organization urged a scientific study of the advisability of making the fire limits coextensive with the city limits. He said the investigation should be taken up without interfering with the pending ordinance.

In his remarks Mr. Davidson indicated his belief that a thorough investigation of the questions presented would produce unanswerable arguments in favor of making the fire limits coextensive with the city limits.

Mr. Weddell said the National Fire Protection association has urged the elimination of frame construction as a safety measure against conflagrations.

"We should not have a repetition of the Chicago fire," he said, "but only if the elements of unfavorable weather conditions have saved Chicago from disaster several times. If a great fire should start in the city of the frame building areas, the loss of life and property would be such that the city would be ruined."

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**Other Prefers Brick.**  
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## Watch La Salle Street Today and See City Test This Bus.



## CITY WILL TEST AUTOBUS TODAY

Aldermen to Investigate  
Utility of New Car, Which  
Has Straps for 20.

If you see a motor bus sailing up La Salle street this morning don't grow excited. The city hasn't started operating "jitneys," and no private corporation has come forward to take a chance in competition with the street car lines.

The one bus you will see is the only one in operation in the city, and it will be running only a few hours at the most. It's just a "sample," intended to show the aldermen and city officials how comfortable and easy riding such vehicles can be made.

Some one probably has a secret hope that the experiment will bear tangible results in the form of the purchase of a large number of the buses, but it will be several weeks at least before the passengers on the free ride will have an opportunity to vote for or against such a deal.

Monterey Ferry, commissioner of public service, arranged for the demonstration with a company that had the machine on exhibition at the automobile show. He has invited members of the city council to be the guests of the company during the demonstration. Incidentally the bus is not minus straps. It will seat thirty persons and has straps for twenty more.

So far as the city's purchasing buses is concerned, Ald. Eugene Block, chairman of the council committee on transportation, yesterday said the question probably will not be placed before the voters at the April election.

There also is to be a waiting the opinion of the law department upon the legality of the \$3,000,000 from the traction fund for the purchase of the cars. Several rumors are abroad concerning this opinion. One specific one is that Max Korshak, assistant corporation counsel, has completed the preparation of his findings on the subject and that the matter now is in the hands of Corporation Counsel Beckwith.

Another report is that Mr. Korshak holds the appropriation valid, but the rumor that he held just the contrary is almost as widely in circulation. No prediction as to the form of the opinion when it finally goes to Ald. Block have been ventured.

## NAMES OF JUDGES FOR FASHION SHOW A SECRET.

Mrs. Lockwood Honors Says Seven  
Out of Eight Already Have Been  
Selected.

Mrs. Lockwood Honors announced yesterday at a luncheon of the governing committee of the Emerson House settlement at the Blackstone hotel that seven of the eight judges for the opening night of the fashion show Feb. 8 have been selected. She said that she will make the announcement of the names on Monday, and refused to mention who the women will be.

Six of the eight women who were named as the best dressed women of Chicago said they had not been consulted in the matter. Mrs. Honors explained that the names of these women had merely been suggested. They were Mrs. LaRoy Fuller, Mrs. Laurence Armour, Mrs. William O'Connell, Mrs. John A. Carpenter, Mrs. Lockwood Honors, Mrs. Richard T. Fox, Mrs. Harold Howard, and Mrs. Benjamin Wiseman.

## STATE DEPARTMENT BALKS AT TOURIST BUREAU JOB.

Serves Notice to Americans Its  
Sole Duty and Obligation Is to  
Issue Passports.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 29.—[Special.]—American citizens today were invited to take notice that the state department has troubles enough looking agencies, guides and general counsel for timid women traveling alone.

## MEXICAN BULLET KILLS AMERICAN

Soldier on Border at El  
Paso Hit While Lying  
in a Tent.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 29.—William B. Warwick, a private in company G, Sixteenth infantry, was killed by a bullet said to have come from the Mexican side of the Rio Grande this afternoon. The American soldier was lying in his tent doing when struck.

Gen. Villa Injured, Report.  
Washington, D. C., Jan. 29.—An unconfirmed report in Mexico City that Gen. Villa had been seriously injured was received today from Consul Silliman.

Mr. Silliman also sent word that Gen. Obregon, the Carranza leader, entered Mexico City unopposed at 2 p. m. yesterday with 10,000 men. The dispatch stated that quiet and order prevailed.

A few Zapatistas were captured while they were evacuating the city and it was reported that there were some casualties. Gen. Obregon had sent forces out to occupy the surrounding suburban towns.

**Carranza Will Go to Capital.**  
Versa Cruz, Jan. 29.—It was said here tonight that Gen. Carranza probably would go to Mexico City tomorrow.

**Obregon Assassins Fail.**  
Mexico City, Jan. 29.—The capital today is again in the hands of the forces of Gen. Carranza.

It has been established that the shooting which occurred in the main plaza before the national palace, when Gen. Obregon reached that place yesterday afternoon, was done by snipers. Speaking of the incident today Gen. Obregon said the shots were undoubtedly directed towards him and that it was an attempted assassination. Three soldiers were killed and a number wounded during the firing.

All saloons are closed as the result of an order by the authorities, but the commercial houses and banks have declared they will resume business immediately.

## MISS JESSIE COPE FREED ON OWN RECOGNIZANCE.

Government Not Ready to Proceed  
in Bribery Case—Col. Alexander  
Fails to Put in Appearance.

Federal Judge Carpenter released Miss Jessie E. Cope, "the great big girl of the golden west," on her own recognizance yesterday and ordered the trial on the bribery charge against her continued indefinitely, because the government was not ready to proceed.

Miss Cope and Elwood G. Goldman, her attorney, said this development in the case as favorable to the defense. At the request of Assistant District Attorney Joseph B. Fleming, Judge Carpenter ordered that a second indictment against Miss Cope charging bribery be consolidated with the first.

District Attorney Charles F. Clyne failed to receive word during the day from Col. Charles Alexander of Providence, N. H., who is charged under the Mann act of transporting Miss Cope from Los Angeles to Chicago and New Orleans. If he fails to appear soon the government may ask to forfeit his bond.

## TWO DETROIT PAPERS MERGE

Tribune, a Morning Sheet, and  
News, an Afternoon Edition,  
Become One.

## KANE COUNTY FARMERS ASK PROTECTION FOR CATTLE.

Would Dissolve Injunction Against  
Slaughter—Guaranteed Prize  
Animals Said to Have Recovered

Stock raisers and dairymen in Kane county, one of the fifteen counties placed in close quarantine by proclamation of Gov. Dunne, are divided in sentiment regarding the injunction issued by Circuit Judge C. E. Irwin restraining the slaughtering of cattle because of the foot and mouth disease. So much debate has been excited that Judge Irwin issued a call yesterday for the farmers to meet him at Geneva on Monday to talk over the advisability of dissolving the order.

Judge Irwin explained to some of the farmers who petitioned him to rescind the order that the injunction does not restrain the slaughter of stock if legally done. A committee of farmers sent a telegram to Gov. Dunne asserting the court's action did not represent the sentiment of dairymen in that section.

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## ARTIST LOSES HIS POSITION; KILLS HIMSELF WITH GAS.

Jacob Barends Leaves Note Begging  
Forgiveness of His Mother  
in the Netherlands.

Jacob Barends, an artist, came to Chicago from Holland seven years ago. He lived at the residence of Mrs. Mabel F. Dodge at 927 North La Salle street. About three weeks ago Barends told Mrs. Dodge he had lost his position with A. C. McGraw & Co. Several days ago he borrowed 15 cents.

Mrs. Dodge found her door locked last night. There was an odor of gas. Police broke open the door. Barends lay on the bed dead. Three gas jets were open. He had stuffed the cracks of the door and the windows with rags and paper. On a dresser was the following note:

## HAVE YOU GOT RHEUMATISM? DENTIST MAY CURE YOU!

Heart or Kidney Trouble Also  
Might Be Removed by Treat-  
ment of the Teeth and Gums.

If you have rheumatism, heart, or kidney trouble, or neuritis, your dentist may be able to cure you where your doctor might not.

These diseases may be caused by decayed teeth or infection of the gums, according to physicians and dentists who addressed the meeting of the Chicago Dental society at the Hotel La Salle last night.

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## WILSON GIVEN CHALLENGE TO CURB PACKERS

Iowa Congressman Says the  
"Trust" Victimized Con-  
sumer and Farmer.

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## HAS ITS CENTER IN CHICAGO?

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Although he did not assert openly that this control is exercised by the Chicago packers, Mr. Good said that it was the opinion of thousands of Iowa farmers that the Chicago packers dictate prices paid for live stock on the hoof.

"Get the Guilty Party."  
"Let whoever is guilty be prosecuted," asserted the Iowa, "and if the packers are not guilty it is but just to them that this impression in the minds of thousands of farmers should be removed."

The Iowa congressman spoke in favor of the immediate consideration and passage of a resolution introduced in the house today by Representative Anderson of Minnesota, directing the attorney general to investigate the control of the live stock markets and to prosecute those guilty of all violations of the anti-trust law which are discovered.

"As a general rule," said Mr. Good in opening, "a corresponding relation between the price of fat cattle and hogs and the price of corn, the principal food on which hogs and cattle are fattened. Today there is no such relation."

"Fat cattle and hogs are selling in the principal stock yards of the country for considerably less than the actual cost of the corn needed to produce them," said Mr. Good.

He pointed out the discrepancy in price of live stock and fresh meat.

"Since the outbreak of the European war all foodstuffs have rapidly advanced both here and abroad but, strange to say, the price at which the American farmer has been forced to sell his hogs has declined from \$8.50 a hundred on July 18 to \$6.00 a hundred on the Chicago market yesterday. The average price of cattle has declined from \$10.10 on July 18 to \$6.00 on the Chicago market on Jan. 29."

Mr. Good pointed out that in 1912 corn cost 47 cents a bushel, while yesterday it cost 70 cents. It takes one bushel of corn to produce ten pounds of gain on a hog, and 13 1/2 bushels, properly fed, to produce 100 pounds of gain on a steer.

**Consumer, Too, Is Loser.**  
"The American consumer," said Mr. Good, "paid more for his pork in December than he paid in July, but the American farmer sold his hogs for 30 per cent less."

"The losses of the farmers in Iowa alone will amount to at least \$25,000,000 this year, as compared with a profit of \$20,000,000 in 1913."

**SNYDER DIES OF POISON  
AFTER SLAYING HIS WIFE.**  
Before the End He Confessed He  
Was Insanely Jealous of Singer  
She Wanted to Live With.

Ward S. Snyder, who killed his wife, Mrs. Louise Snyder, at Houston, Tex., Thursday, died yesterday from poison.

Before he died he confessed he was insanely jealous. He said his wife had fallen in love with an opera singer and had asked to be allowed to live with him for two months. He said she also had expressed the intention of obtaining a divorce so she could marry the singer.

Miss Ethel Talbot, companion of Mrs. Snyder at the sanitarium, left Houston during the day for her home in St. Louis. She refused to throw any light on the supposed breach that existed between the couple.

Mr. S. Snyder, wealthy Pittsburgh father of the murdered-singer, is expected to reach Houston today.

Arthur Bersford, operator of the Chicago and divorced husband of the slain woman, wired arrangements for the return of George, his 7-year-old son, who was visiting his mother. The two other Bersford children are at the home of the father at 6024 Harper avenue.

Snyder was reported to have had four wives. One Mrs. Ada Snyder of Pittsburgh—said she never had been divorced from him.

## Newhall Alert at the Age of 91; Stuns Lawyers

Aged Apple Man Flashes  
Answers, Retorts, Dates,  
Figures, and Facts.

NEED REST? NOT HIM!

Hour after hour a white haired man with a flowing snowy beard sat in the Probate court yesterday and parried the questions of attorneys who were seeking to prove him senile. He is Franklin Newhall, 91 years old, who, during a business career extending over half a century, built up a fortune in the apple business estimated at \$750,000. Now his son, Simon F. Newhall, is seeking to have a conservator appointed for his father's estate on the ground that he is too old to look after it himself.

But if Mr. Newhall is too old to look after his interests, he gave no evidence of it in court. With eyes that sparkled and with a tongue that worked as quickly as his alert mind, he flashed back answers, dates, figures, and facts so fast the lawyers had trouble keeping up their supply of interrogations. Time and again he refused to rest at the suggestion of the court.

**Need Rest? Not Him!**  
At the noon hour Judge Greig asked him if he wished a recess until 2 o'clock. "No, indeed, I'm not tired," replied the aged apple merchant. "But perhaps the lawyers want a recess," he said, turning to his counsel, W. H. Johnson. "Do you want a recess?"

Attorney Johnson asked that the hearing go on. Once again Attorney Francis W. Walker representing the son, suggested he did not wish to weary the witnesses.

"You can't weary me," replied Mr. Newhall. "I don't expect to get tired until midnight. I come from a long lived family. My grandfather on my father's side died at 98 years of age, my father died when he was 83 years old, my mother died at 86, and my brother died at the same age. I've passed that mark by eight years."

**"Not Until I'm Dead."**  
During the examination Mr. Newhall said he had an account at a downtown bank.

"Do you deposit the money yourself—come downtown from Gloucester to do it?" asked Attorney Walker.

"Of course I do," replied the witness, his eyes sparkling. "Don't you see I'm here now?"

Is the Chicago Title and Trust company trustee of your estate?"  
"No, and it won't be, either, until I am dead," Mr. Newhall replied.

He refused to use his glasses at the suggestion of counsel in identifying an account book.

"I don't need glasses to see a book," he said. "That is my book all right."

He spoke of his various interests and his land in Utah, Indiana, Gloucester, and other places, and said he owned a house in Chicago. He said he had not seen the year at once he fixed the date by some event.

**How His Memory Works.**  
At one point when asked concerning the purchase of a certain piece of property he replied:

"That was the year the Michigan Central was built. If you know when that was you have the year."

He said he had given \$50,000 to each of his sons, Sylvan, Benjamin, and Simon, in 1911. He said Simon owed him nothing, but he still held notes totaling about \$100,000 from Sylvan and Benjamin.

The hearing was continued until next Friday.

## SWINDLERS OF OLD WOMEN RESTORE \$10,000 TO THEM.

Philadelphia Woman "Fleece" of  
Thousands by Detective Who Said  
He Would Capture Culprits.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 29.—[Special.]—Two of the swindlers who five years ago fleeced Mrs. Josephine Kraeger, 70 years old, and her two daughters of \$25,000 today returned \$10,000 of the money and indicated against them were submitted for verdicts of not guilty in Quarter Sessions court.

The men are Henry O. Stewart and Michael Shea. Shea is on trial in Toledo, O., but Stewart was in court.

## BANDITS SHOOT UP A CAFE NEAR POLICE STATION

Wound Citizen, Rob Eighteen  
People, and When Much  
Called Cops Arrive—

THEY ARE AT IT ONCE MORE.

Fully fifteen minutes—some say a half hour—after the Maxwell street police had received notice of a restaurant holding a block away yesterday, four highwaymen who had engaged in a revolver battle, shot one man and narrowly missed wounding two others, drove past the police station in a black limousine with their loot. When the police put in an appearance the highwaymen were attempting to hold up another restaurant a short distance away. They escaped.

The proprietor and patrons of Prister's restaurant at 607 West Fifth street were the victims of the holding. The restaurant is the gathering place for the managers, singers, actors, musicians, ticket sellers, and lesser lights of the 5 and 10 cent theaters of Chicago. Sixteen men, women, and girls were grabbing a bite between shows shortly before 4 o'clock in the afternoon when the four men, seated jauntily inside and swept the room with as many revolvers as they could.

**Steals Proprietor's Diamond.**  
Highwayman No. 1 removed a diamond stickpin worth \$150 from the tie of William Spiegel, the proprietor, rang up a \$2 sale on the cash register and emptied it of its contents.

"Hand over them diamond earrings," said the highwayman, turning on Mrs. Ida Spiegel.

The earrings were worth \$225. Mrs. Spiegel placed up a carving Obelisk. Sixteen men, women, and girls were grabbing a bite between shows shortly before 4 o'clock in the afternoon when the four men, seated jauntily inside and swept the room with as many revolvers as they could.

The highwayman was about to drag the little girl back when a building belonging to the Spiegelers lunged at him and hit him in the leg. He shook the animal loose and fired several shots at it, but missed.

**What a Lot of Diamonds!**  
Meanwhile the patrons had been lined up against the wall. Adolph Gardner, who runs a nickel show at 714 Twelfth street, stuffed a diamond studded watch and chain under a tablecloth. It was overlooked. Mary Shiller, a waitress, dropped her diamond ring under a table and saved it. Miss Israel, a pianist, turned her diamond ring stone in toward the palm. She still has it.

One of the men took from Samuel L. Cohen of 605 North Western avenue, but handed a penny back with the remark:

"Take this and buy a paper and read about it."

Max Kaufman of 708 South Ashland boulevard contributed \$2 and the other patrons were relieved of about \$20. Gardner refused to lower his hands to get his pocketbook and got a bullet through his left pants leg.

**Rescuer Shot Down.**  
The Spiegelers children had run through the alley and into the saloon of Morris Abrahamson at 921 Twelfth street, where they told of the robbery. R. J. Brown, who was in the police called up the police. Hyman Goldberg, a bartender, picked up a revolver and ran towards the restaurant.

Goldberg saw the four highwaymen emerge from the restaurant. They scattered and opened fire on him. The latter fired three shots at them and then ran to the sidewalk with a bullet in his left hip. Jacob Schiffman of 1029 Twelfth street pursued the robbers toward Sangamon street and fired several shots at them.

## NORTHWEST SIDE LEAGUE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

Otto Schulz, Piano Man, Leads Com-  
mercial Association—Dentist Re-  
mains as Secretary.

The Northwest Side Commercial association, meeting at Prospect hall last night, elected these officers:

President, Otto Schulz of the M. Schulz Piano company; first vice president, John A. Edwards of the Armature Clothing company; second vice president, John F. Smid of the Northwestern Trust and Savings bank; third vice president, Simon Kise of Elm Bros. & Co.; treasurer, Jane C. Hansen of Security bank; secretary, Thomas F. Denton, dentist.

One hundred and eighty-four members were admitted to membership during 1914. The total membership is now nearly 500.

The association went on record as favoring the consolidation of all the park districts on the west side.

## GLEASON PRAISES MEN FOR CITY CRIME WORK.

Says Crooks Are Kept Down to  
Minimum, Despite Ease With  
Which Courts Free Them.



B.F. GOODRICH EARNINGS FAIR

Annual Report for 1914 Will Show Profits of 4.13 Per Cent on Common.

DIVIDEND IS DOUBTFUL

The books of the B. F. Goodrich company have just been closed for the purpose of compiling the full annual report for the year 1914. After making liberal provisions for all maintenance charges, depreciation, bad debts and all known outstanding liabilities, the net profits for the year work out substantially as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Rows include Total, Preferred dividends, Balance, etc.

Concerning the Common Stock

Concerning the common stock and the fact that nothing was done about a dividend at the last meeting of the board, an official statement issued by the company says:

"No action was taken or contemplated in the near future regarding dividends on the common stock."

The contingent liability of \$370,987 in respect of bankers' loans made on behalf of the Society of Trans-Atlantic Cable, which was closed on Dec. 31, 1913, has been liquidated.

The company has on hand cash of the amount of \$4,775,000 and has no bills payable outstanding. The current assets amount to approximately \$20,000,000 and the current liabilities to \$14,000,000. The company has no funded debt.

At the regular quarterly meeting of the directors on Jan. 27 there was retired, subject to the approval of the stockholders at their annual meeting on March 10, 11,000 shares of preferred stock, which, together with the 9,000 shares appropriated at the July meeting of the board, makes a total retirement of 20,000 shares.

A dividend of 3 1/2 per cent was declared on the preferred stock, 1 1/2 per cent on the common stock, payable Jan. 1. In view of the provision contained in the company's charter, which specifically provides that payment of the preferred dividend is not necessary, in order to make such payment, the dividend for the second quarter should also be declared prior to the stockholders' meeting.

Illinois Central's Position. C. M. Markham, president of the Illinois Central railroad, who has returned to Chicago from an inspection tour of the company's properties in the south, yesterday said in reference to the \$5,000,000 first refunding 5 per cent bonds of the Illinois Central and Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans companies:

"The present sale will be used to settle obligations assumed last year for improvements in equipment, roadbed, and other matters. At the time the notes were issued we hoped to be able to retire them from our earnings, but the business following the war made this impossible."

BAROMETER OF THE MARKET

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Rows include Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, etc.

U. S. TREASURY STATEMENT

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Rows include Receipts, Disbursements, Balance, etc.

NEW MINIMUM PRICES

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Rows include Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, etc.

RAILROAD EARNINGS

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Rows include Great Northern, Northern Pacific, etc.

FINANCIAL NEWS NOTES

It is announced that the Atchafalaya way will, on March 1st, pay off and retire from funds in its treasury the \$1,500,000 6 per cent Chicago and St. Louis first mortgage bonds, maturing on that date.

Known Movements of Money

Known movements of money for the week indicate a gain in cash by the New York banks of \$4,011,161. They gained from the interior \$2,493,168 but lost to the treasury \$4,444,000.

Bethlehem Steel Sells Bonds

The Bethlehem Steel company has sold \$100,000 of the thirty year 6 per cent first lien and refunding mortgage bonds of the Bethlehem Steel company to Hall, McKee & Co., William Salomon, Kuhn, Loeb & Co., and Harvey Pisk & Sons.

Southern Pipe Line

The Southern Pipe Line company reports for the year ended Dec. 31, 1914, as follows:

THE CHICAGO DAILY TRIBUNE: SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 1915.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Rows include U.S. Steel, American Steel, etc.

STOCKS DECLINE IN WALL STREET

U. S. Steel Pivot of Market; Much Foreign Liquidation.

NEW HAVEN HARD HIT

New York, Jan. 29.—United States Steel was again the pivot around which the stock market revolved today. The common stock was very extensively traded in above that price. Liquidation in that issue was on so large a scale as to represent 40 per cent of the first hour's enterprise.

Canadian Pacific Declines

Canadian Pacific was heaviest of all the high priced issues, losing over 5 points on the persistent selling. The company's statement of earnings for December, 1914, was regarded as sufficient cause for discouragement on the part of the holders of the stock.

Cash Gains Predicted

Local banks are expected to make further cash gains from the movement from the interior, but supplies of cash at all reserve centers are now so abundant as to make quoted rates virtually negligible.

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

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NEW YORK CUB TRANSACTIONS

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CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES

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COTTON

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Rows include Cotton, etc.

The Tribune Investors Guide

Answers to inquiries are based upon information which this Tribune has secured from reliable sources, and is not intended to be a substitute for professional advice.

Salisbury & Sons and Union Loan

Salisbury & Sons, a company formed in 1910 to take over the business of the Salisbury & Sons company, has been in business since 1907 and its annual report for 1913 showed \$375,827.45 in assets and \$4,287,806 surplus. Its capital is \$100,000, the amount having been increased from \$100,000 at the end of 1907 by a stock dividend of 900 per cent.

Proter & Gamble Company

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